

# THE CITIZEN.

SATURDAY, - NOVEMBER 1, 1879.

## A BIG MINING SUCCESS.

The Tombstone Mill and Mining Company's Work, Products, Etc.

About one year ago Superintendent Richard Gird was in San Francisco, personally overseeing and directing the manufacture of a saw-mill and a quartz mill. Roads had to be graded to the timber in Huachuca Mountains and to the mines of the company from the mill-site on the San Pedro. The mines had been developed just enough to warrant the construction of these roads and mills. About June 1st of this year the quartz mill was completed and put to work, and no complaint is intended in restating the facts that no other mill has ever been more perfectly built nor run more smoothly and uninterruptedly than it. It is almost automatic. But three men are required to operate it. Machinery propelled by water power does the balance. About two weeks since it shut down to make the necessary changes for wet instead of dry crushing, and either has started up again or will in a day or two. During its four and one-half months' run it produced \$176,314.38 in gold and silver bullion—mostly silver. During this time development has been quietly but successfully carried on. The mill has thus far been supplied from the Tough Nut, and doubtless will continue to be, but the company also own the Goodenough, Westside, Defense and Surveyor. The total depth of shafts on the Tough Nut is 294 feet; total length of levels and drifts, 787 feet; total length of cuts, 381 feet. Surveyor General Wasson recently passed through these shafts, levels and cuts, and he assures us that with the exception of a new working shaft and a comparatively small amount of dead work there is pay ore in every place exposed: on the bottom and breasts of works and also overhead. The vein is evidently much broken and lies irregularly at the surface, but developments are enabling the owners to form conclusions as to the pay rock or ore "in place," and as will be seen by the bullion already produced this mine alone pays profits, in addition to cost of development. It is not the judgment of Mr. Wasson only, but of every one who has examined the explorations of the mine, that the Tough Nut is an immensely valuable property.

The company not deeming it necessary to develop its other claims has not done it to any great extent. The Goodenough has shafts aggregating a depth of 137 feet, and levels and drifts 281 feet, with 64 feet of cuts. Shafting on the Westside amounts to 76 feet; on the Defense but 12 and on the Surveyor 10. These claims are undoubtedly valuable, having been located when the Tough Nut, Lucky Cuss and Contention were earlier than the Grand Central and other noted and rich claims.

Much more could easily be said of interest in connection with this remarkably successful company and its properties, but the steady production of bullion tells almost enough. The one thing more, and that of first importance to stockholders, is capable and honest management. This company owes nothing and has paid at least one dividend of \$50,000, and these facts are due to inflexible honesty and demonstrated capability of Superintendent Richard Gird and his official associates—Gov. Sanford, the Scheffels, J. S. Vosburg, and the Corbins who first undertook and did raise the capital to build the mills, roads, etc. No percentages on purchases, on labor or any other outlay of money. Here is wherein the stockholders are secure. If the managers owned every share of the stock, as they do a large portion of it, they could not more carefully make expenditures or get more labor, supplies and service therefor.

Why Land Patents are not Promptly Issued.

The forthcoming report of the Recorder of the General Land Office shows the evil effect of the reductions in the clerical force of that office by Congress. There are now on hand for patenting 10,000 cases, and these are sufficient to occupy the present force of the office fourteen months, without taking any time for work that may accumulate during that period.

"SEE," said a reverend gentleman, "here is an illustration. At one time I should have sworn awfully at this fly—but look, now." Raising his hand he said gently, "Go away fly, go away." But the fly only tickled his nose the more. The reverend gentleman, raising his hand with some vehemence, made a grab at the offender and being successful, opened it to throw the insect from him, when in extreme disgust he exclaimed: "Why d—n it is a wasp."

## An Open Letter.

To CHRIS. LOSS, FLORENCE:—Sir: On my return from a trip to the Gila I notice your open letter published in the Star of the 29th ult., which you have filled with insolence and abuse because I used the term "murder" in the case of the Territory vs. J. C. Loss. I had no "point in view," further than to give the public current facts. I was present in Florence the Sunday afternoon when J. C. Loss shot and killed J. C. Robinson. That this was not a murder could only be determined by the trial, and as I did not have the Pinal County Court records in my vest pocket I did not know the exact term used in the indictment; however, I published the charge as murder and also published the fact that J. C. Loss had been acquitted, which gives THE CITIZEN and its editor a clear record in the matter and is also sufficient evidence of my fairness toward the defendant. My relations with the Loss family have always been amicable and on the day of the killing I loaned my shot-gun to Deputy Sheriff Dupuy and tendered my services in case required to defend the jail against a mob, who it was feared would visit summary punishment upon the said J. C. Loss, and the fact that preparations were made to resist a mob is sufficient evidence that THE CITIZEN was not the first to use the term "murder" in this connection. Since publishing the acquittal of J. C. Loss I have thought no more of the matter, and you have yourself to thank for this presentation of unpleasant facts. I submit the above by way of explanation and spurn with contempt your reference to an apology. If the Loss family are so fastidious with regard to public comments concerning their public acts, they should be more careful to abstain from crime.

Respectfully, also "Ungloved,"  
JOHN P. CLEM,  
Editor CITIZEN.

Tucson, November 1, 1879.

## How the Territory Builds Railroads About Prescott—Reputation Suggested.

The last session of our Legislature appropriated \$20,000 for the opening of a public highway between Bradshaw City and Gillett. Bonds to that amount were issued in accordance with the act and disposed of in San Francisco at a discount of 15 per cent. Commissioners were appointed to see that the road was built and the money properly expended. Six miles of the road had previously been built by the Tip-top Company, commencing at Gillett and running to the shoot, or within four miles of the Tip-top mine. The Commissioner, some days since, commenced the construction of the route, taking up where the Tip-top Company had left off, and we are informed by many citizens of this country that the gap between the shoot and the Tip-top mine, is a distance of four miles will be completed with the \$20,000 in bonds appropriated by the Legislature. Thus we are to build four miles of road. The span between Gillett and Bradshaw is to be left just the same as though no money had been appropriated for building a road. We were always under the impression that a good road could not be built with the appropriation, still, we did think, and shall continue to think, that a road over which light vehicles could have been conducted, might have been made with the money, and we do not believe that four miles of road for \$20,000 is going to suit the taxpayers of Yavapai county, and unless a square deal is made the bonds may be repudiated, and those who squander the money made to put up for misappropriation. Twenty thousand dollars judiciously expended would have went far toward opening the highway between the points designated in the law. Again it will be remembered that there were men who offered to give bonds and construct the entire road for the money appropriated.

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### Proposals—Pima Agency.

SEALED PROPOSALS IN TRIPPLICATE will be received until November 15th next, at the Pima Agency, Arizona, for furnishing the materials and for the erection of a building to be used as an Indian boarding school at said Agency, including a well, curb and pump; also furniture for the building, estimates for the latter to be made separately.

The dimensions and plans for the building are as follows, subject to any modifications which may be thought desirable hereafter.

Building outside 53 feet front, 68 feet deep outside walls 25 feet; 16 rooms 15 feet by 15 feet, ceilings 12 feet on the first story and 11 feet on the second story; hall extending full length of the building, 12 feet wide; front and rear rooms four windows and one door each; a little room each two windows and one door, besides connecting doors to all rooms on the first floor.

All doors and windows large and with transoms; all the rooms with ventilating holes one foot below the ceiling.

Shingle roof projecting four feet on each side. Piazza ten feet wide on the front and both sides, with shingle roof.

Masonry and grooved flooring, dressed on one side, second quality; finishing lumber dressed on one side, second quality.

Floors all fitted in and defended with plaster. Ceilings whitewashed, not plastered, leaving the ceiling. Walls and chimneys of adobe.

Chimneys, one stack to answer for four rooms, 12 inches inside diameter, 12 feet casing. All wood work two coats plain drab paint inside, outside wood work green. Blinds to all windows painted green.

Locks and hardware common Japanese. Windows, common glass.

Walls inside finished with two coats of lime plaster. Parlor and teachers' rooms (5) one coat drab paint; all others plain walls.

Walls outside finished with dust and sand cement.

Stairing in the hall 5 feet wide, 7 inch risers, 12 inch treads of 2 inch plank. Balustrade, plain rail, two coats drab paint.

Outside walls, 30 inches thick to the second story; 20 inches above.

Walls through the hall 30 inches thick to the second story; 18 inches above.

Fifteen feet from wall to apex of roof and one window in the center, front and back.

Well, curb and pump, stoves or ranges and all utensils for cooking for 75 persons. School furniture for 75 pupils.

Forty to fifty plain strong mattresses, cost of each.

Fifteen to twenty washstands, iron or wood, cost of each.

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Crockery (strong) for table use of 75 persons. Also, knives, forks and spoons.

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U. S. Indian Agent.

### Dissolution Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the partnership heretofore existing between John N. Brown and A. P. Green in the saloon business has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. Mr. Brown withdrawing. The business will be continued by Mr. Green, who will pay all debts and collect all claims.

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